

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 18-25 are pending in this application. By this amendment, claims 18 and 22 are amended and new dependent claim 25 is added. Amendments to claim 18 and addition of new claim 25 are supported in non-claim limiting example of Figure 19 and relevant description thereof. Per conversation with the Examiner, attached herewith is a Terminal Disclaimer to overcome a possible obviousness double patenting rejection. Although there seems to be no issue regarding the obvious double patenting, the Terminal Disclaimer is filed herewith for the sole purpose of expediting the prosecution.

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, it is respectfully submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes that any additional changes would place the application in better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney, Daniel Y.J. Kim, at the telephone number listed below.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration and prompt allowance are earnestly solicited.

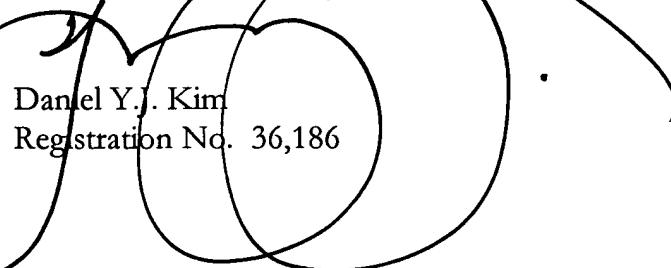
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